

SENATE RESOLUTION 125
By Burchett

A RESOLUTION to commend Rachel Dana Wright for exemplary service as a legislative intern.

WHEREAS, each legislative session this body is pleased to recognize certain persons who have committed themselves, through their adroit service, to the betterment of the legislative process; and

WHEREAS, Rachel Dana Wright is one such individual who has distinguished herself in her role as a legislative intern for Senator Randy McNally; Rachel's work has resulted in innumerable benefits for the legislators she assisted and the General Assembly as a whole; and

WHEREAS, a student at Tennessee Technological University, where she is highly regarded by her peers, Rachel has achieved academic success while majoring in Political Science, minoring in History and Business, and participating in numerous extracurricular activities; and

WHEREAS, donating her time and many talents to numerous organizations and activities, Ms. Wright is a member of the Southwind Drum and Bugle Corps, the Mock Trial Team, the Pre-Law Society (President and former Vice President), the Mortar Board, Omicron Delta Kappa Honors Society, the Honors Program, and the Associated Scholar's Guild (Secretary of the Steering Committee); and

WHEREAS, Rachel Wright presented the Leadership Workshop at the National Honors Conference in 2004 and attended the Tennessee Intercollegiate State Legislature in 2004; she has also served as a Teacher's Assistant for Student Government; and

WHEREAS, no stranger to honors and accolades, Ms. Wright has been named to the Dean's List, and she received the College of Business Administration Scholarship and the Bill of the Year Award; and

WHEREAS, eager to familiarize herself with the characteristics and complexities of Tennessee state government and to further her studies, Rachel Wright brought her many abilities and singular expertise to Capitol Hill for the 2006 session of the One Hundred Fourth General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, Rachel Wright epitomizes the spirit of volunteerism and commitment to excellence that are characteristic of all true Tennesseans; and

WHEREAS, throughout the 2006 legislative session, Ms. Wright has surpassed all criteria that define a devoted and conscientious legislative intern; and

WHEREAS, Rachel Wright has performed her many duties with extraordinary insight and rare decorum; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby commend Rachel Dana Wright for outstanding service as a legislative intern for Senator Randy McNally and extend to her our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.